

SC Annual School Report Card Summary

Berkeley County Middle College High School

Berkeley County

Grades: 11-12 Enrollment: 93

Principal: Claire M. Freeman

Superintendent: Dr. Rodney Thompson

Board Chair: Doug Cooper

PERFORMANCE

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		GROWTH RATING PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD ESEA/FEDERAL AC		ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM
			General Performance	Closing the Gap	ESEA Grade	Accountability Indicator	
2013	N/A	N/A	TBD	TBD	I	N/A	
2012	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
2011	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF HIGH SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
28	4	0	0	0

^{*} Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2013. Schools with Students Like Ours are High Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

HIGH SCHOOL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM(HSAP) EXAM PASSAGE RATE(%): SECOND YEAR STUDENTS

	Our High School		High Schools with Students Like Ours	
	2012	2013	2012	2013
Passed 2 subtests (%)	N/A	N/A	75.8%	85.5%
Passed 1 subtest (%)	N/A	N/A	14.7%	9.6%
Passed no subtests (%)	N/A	N/A	11.7%	5.4%

HSAP PASSAGE RATE (%) BY SPRING 2013

	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours	
Passage Rate	N/A	94.4%	

ON-TIME GRADUATION RATE					
	High Schools with Students Like Ours				
Number of students	44	347			
Number of Diplomas	43	277			
Rate (%)	97.7%	80.1%			

END OF COURSE TESTS - 2013						
% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our High School	High Schools with Students Like Ours				
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2		78.3				
English 1	·	75.8				
Biology 1/Applied Biology 2	100.0	82.0				
US History and the Constitution	88.2	66.2				
All Tests	88.5	75.5				

NAEP PERFORMANCE*

* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.

READING – GRADE 8 (2011)							
South Carolina	28	45	25 2				
Nation	25	43	29 3				
	% Below Basic	% Basic, Proficient, a	nd Advanced				
■ Below Basic □ Basic □ Proficient ■ Advanced							

MATH – GRADE 8 (2011)						
South Carolina	30	38	25	7		
Nation	28	39	26	8		
	% Below Basic	% Basic, Proficient	, and Advanc	ed		
■ Below Basic □ Basic	□ Proficient	Advanced				

SCIENCE - GRADE 8 (2011)						
South Carolina	39	32	27	1		
Nation	36	32	29	2		
% Below Basic		% Basic, Proficie	nt, and Advance	d		
■ Below Basic	Basic Proficient	Advanced				

SC PERFORMANCE VISION

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

Berkeley County Middle College High School [Berkeley County]

SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	High Schools with Students Like Ours	Median High School
Students (n=93)				
Retention rate	0.0%	No Change	2.7%	2.9%
Attendance rate	97.1%	Down from 97.3%	95.1%	95.1%
Served by gifted and talented program	N/A	N/A	24.2%	17.5%
With disabilities	2.2%	N/A	10.9%	11.9%
Older than usual for grade	0.0%	N/A	6.3%	7.9%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.0%	No Change	1.2%	1.1%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	0.0%	No Change	22.4%	15.1%
Successful on AP/IB exams	N/A	N/A	54.0%	51.5%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	30.2%	Up from 23.0%	34.0%	30.6%
Annual dropout rate	0.0%	Down from 1.1%	2.5%	2.3%
Career/technology students in co-curricular organizations	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Enrollment in career/technology courses	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Career/technology students attaining technical skills	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Teachers (n=4)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	25.0%	No Change	66.7%	63.4%
Continuing contract teachers	75.0%	No Change	80.3%	78.8%
Teachers returning from previous year	N/A	N/A	88.1%	86.2%
Teacher attendance rate	98.0%	Up from 95.4%	95.1%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	I/S	I/S	\$50,212	\$48,699
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	No Change	1.4%	2.5%
Professional development days/teacher	13.6 days	Up from 10.0 days	11.5 days	9.8 days
School				
Principal's years at school	3.0	Up from 2.0	4.0	3.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	23.3 to 1	Up from 22.8 to 1	28.7 to 1	26.9 to 1
Prime instructional time	94.3%	Up from 92.2%	88.6%	89.0%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$6,307	Down 30.0%	\$7,331	\$7,919
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	53.0%	Up from 40.1%	60.0%	57.0%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	62.0%	Down from 71.3%	62.0%	60.0%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	Up from Poor	Excellent	Excellent
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	No Change	97.6%	97.7%
Character development program	Below Average	Down from Average	Good	Good
ESEA composite index score	N/A	N/A	81.7	77.4

^{*} Length of contract = 185+ days

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	5	44	29
Percent satisfied with learning environment	100%	97.7%	100%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	100%	95.3%	96.6%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	100%	92.8%	93.3%

^{*}Only eleventh grade students and their parents were included. For schools without grade eleven, only the highest grade was included

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REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

The Berkeley County Middle College High School is a school choice option partnership between Berkeley County School District and Trident Technical College. We provide a personalized learning community for students who want to accelerate toward fulfillment of college and career goals. and for groups of students underrepresented in postsecondary education.

As the only magnet high school in Berkeley County School District, the Middle College has successfully completed its third year. Our student body increased from 91 students in year two to 93 students in year three. Two of our seniors received Associate Degrees from the college on May 3, nearly a full month prior to receiving their high school diplomas.

Our students collectively attempted 434 dual credit college courses with a success rate (A, B or C) of 92.4%. Our US History EOC scores are among the highest in the district. The Class of 2013 earned a total of \$617,760.00 in academic scholarships and grants. Our students participated in the Quest academic competition and Storm the Citadel. Our Response to Intervention program was a tremendous success in supporting our students as they achieved a 100% pass rate in all high school courses. We look forward to expanding our intervention strategies to include a peer tutoring program and are preparing to develop a new and improved work-based learning initiative for the 2013-14 academic year.

We are located on the Berkeley Campus of Trident Technical College and serve students from the district's seven comprehensive high schools. Our partnership blends high school and college courses to provide students with rigorous academic pathways, comprehensive guidance support and job shadowing, as well as multiple opportunities each week for academic tutoring and advisement. Our faculty completed its first year of professional development in the Common Core State Standards

At Berkeley County Middle College High School, it continues to be our joy to help students begin their transitions into higher education and bright futures.

Claire Mason Freeman, Principal Alex Sturgill, SIC Chairperson

^{**} Prior year audited financial data available.